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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

After the foregoing amendments, claims 1 - 2, and 4 are currently pending in

this application. Claims 3 and 5 - 11 have been canceled. Applicant submits that no

new matter has been introduced into the application by these amendments.

Allowable Subject Matter

The Examiner is thanked for indicating that claims 1-2, and 4-5 have been

allowed.

Objections to the Drawings

The drawings stand objected to for failing to show "the concentrate spacers

protruding from the separating membranes" as recited in claim 5. By way of this

Reply, claim 5 has been canceled. Accordingly, the withdrawal of the objection to

the drawings is respectfully requested.

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Conclusion

Applicant is concurrently submitting form PTOL-85 Part B "Issue Fee

Transmittal" and credit card payment in the amount of \$1,020 for the issue fee and

publication fee payment in the present application. Accordingly, an Issue

Notification is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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